

UTAH DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH, PRIOR AUTHORIZATION REQUEST FORM

AMITIZA (lubiprostone)

Patient name: _____ Medicaid or SS# _____

Physician Name: _____ Contact person: _____

Phone#: _____ Ext. and opt. _____ Fax# _____

Pharmacy _____ Pharmacy Phone#: _____

All information to be legible, complete and correct or form will be returned

FAX DOCUMENTATION FROM PROGRESS NOTES TO (801) 536-0477

CRITERIA:

- ▶ Patient must be age 18 or above
- ▶ Diagnosis of Chronic Idiopathic Constipation
- ▶ Documented failure within the last 12 months using;
 - A. One fiber laxative **AND**
 - B. Two stimulant laxative products
- ▶ Drug induced constipation must be ruled out

AUTHORIZATION:

6 months

RE-AUTHORIZATION:

To request authorization after 6 months, the patient will need to show trial off Amitiza using other laxatives for at least 30 days. **NO FURTHER AUTHORIZATION WILL BE GIVEN AFTER THE PATIENT HAS A TOTAL OF 1 YEAR OF THERAPY WITH AMITIZA.**